



## Shailer Park SHS Academic Excellence Enrolment Events 2022



### Big Thinkers Day

*Do you have a strong passion for learning?  
Are you wanting to learn more about Shailer  
Park State High School's Academic Excellence  
Academies?*

#### What will I be learning if I take part in the Big Thinkers Project?

Firstly, you will get to experience learning as a member of the Academic Excellence Academies at SPSHS. The projects will allow students to participate in experimental inquiry that will develop their thinking and collaborative skills. Students will participate in one of the following projects, depending on their area of interest:

**ALTUM:** The ALTUM Big Thinkers Project will focus on the world around us, and applying critical thinking skills to solve a problem in the world today.

**NEXUS:** The NEXUS Big Thinkers Project will focus on innovation, design and resourcefulness.

#### Key Dates:

Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> April, 2022	Expressions of interest open
Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup> May, 2022	Expressions of interest close – successful students will be contacted directly
Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2022	Big Thinkers Engagement Day

For EOI or any questions, please contact Emily Thompson ([eddun0@eq.edu.au](mailto:eddun0@eq.edu.au)).

### Academic Excellence Trial

All students wanting to join Shailer Park SHS's Academic Excellence Academies (ALTUM and NEXUS) need to participate in a trial.

Please see the below details:

Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May, 2022	Applications for ALTUM and NEXUS close - full enrolment pack, academies trial form and application fee paid and returned to Shailer Park SHS administration.
Tuesday 31 <sup>st</sup> May, 2022	Trials for both ALTUM and NEXUS students

Enrolment packs and academy trial forms can be collected from Shailer Park SHS administration building. If you have any questions please contact Emily Thompson ([eddun0@eq.edu.au](mailto:eddun0@eq.edu.au)).